

APPENDIX A

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APPENDIX B

New England Regional Assessment Participants

The New England Region Assessment (NERA) was initiated in September 1997, with the *New England Climate Change Impacts* Workshop, held September 3-5, at the University of New Hampshire (UNH). Participants in this initial Workshop identified the three key Sectors of interest, and the key areas of concern to be addressed in more detail. Three additional Sector-specific Workshops were held in 1999: March 30, 1999 – Forestry Workshop; March 31, 1999 – Water Resources Workshop; and April 7, 1999 – Human Health Workshop. These Workshops were conducted to assess the current state-of-knowledge of the potential consequences of climate variability and change on the New England Region, as well as to identify areas for which more information is needed. In the process, stakeholders participating in the Workshops identified key concerns regarding climate impacts to their specific Sectors. One of the main goals of the NERA

effort has been to present the key findings in terms that are relevant and meaningful to the general public, and the participating stakeholders assisted us in reaching this goal. The overall NERA effort has been supported by the National Science Foundation.

Stakeholders participating in the NERA identified three key sectors (Forestry, Water Resources and Human Health) for detailed consideration, and three key concerns or issues likely to affect these sectors if climate change continues (Air Quality, Seasonal Dynamics and Extreme Weather Events). The table below presents a summary of NERA Workshop participants, by category and by area (state) represented. Since many participants attended two or more Workshops, they have only been counted once in the table. The names of the participants in each of the four NERA Workshops are listed in Appendix C.

Area	Local Gov.	Federal Agency	Energy/Utility	Business/Industry	NGO's	Education/Outreach	Scientist/Researcher	Interested Stakeholder	Total by State
AK							1		1
CAN	1								1
CT		1	1	1		1			4
DC		3					1		4
MA	2	7		3	5	3	7		27
ME	2		1	4		1	1		9
MD		3					1		4
NH	14	4	2	3	9	13	35	3	83
NY	1			1	1		3		6
PA		2							2
RI		2		1		2	6		11
VA		2							2
VT	3			2		1	6		12
Total	23	24	4	15	15	21	61	3	166

APPENDIX C

New England Regional Assessment Workshop Attendees

New England Regional Workshop *September 3-5, 1997*

John Aber
Jim Abraham
Eleanor Abrams
Samuel Adams
Donald Anderson
Allan Auclair
Thomas Baerwald
Marian Baker
Patrick Barosh
David Bartlett
Howard Bernstein
Richard Birdsey
Doug Bogen
Robert Brower
Deirdre Buckley
Ann Bucklin
Karen Burnett-Kurie
Lynne Carter
David Cash
Michael Charpentier
Michael Cline
Kenneth Colburn
Nancy Cole
Priscilla Cookson
Robert Corell
Michael Disharoon
Claudette Donnelly
Richard Donnelly
Lesley-Ann Dupigny-Giroux
Petya Entcheva
Paul Epstein
Ivan Fernandez
Douglas Forbes
Tim Foresman
Fred Friedman
Harold Garabedian
Patrick Garner
Graham Giese
Lewis Gilbert
Daniel Goldin
Joel Gordes
Cynthia Greene
Timothy Gubbels
Perry Hagenstein
Stephen Hale
Steven Hamburg
Kate Hartnett
Paul Harris
Denise Hart
Brenda Hausauer
James Hawk
Wanda Haxton
Douglas Hill
Lloyd Irland

Glenn Juday
Naida Kaen
Barry Keim
Thomas Kelly
John Kermond
Ken Kimball
Karl Kreutz
Clara Kustra
Amy Langston
Don LaTourette
Gary Lauten
Rob Leatherbee
Stuart Leiderman
Michael MacCracken
Norman MacDonald
Jeffrey MacGillivray
Paul Mayewski
Sharon Meeker
David Meeker
Jerry Melillo
Eric Meyerson
Rakesh Minocha
Berrien Moore III
David Moss
George Musler
Scott Nixon
Alan Nogee
Ellen O'Donnell
Mila Paul
Iqbal Pittalwala
James Platts
Ronald Prinn
David Reusch
Mary Reynolds
Barrett Rock
Fay Rubin
James Russell
Larry Ryan
William Salas
Tim Scherbatskoy
Nancy Sherman
Frederick Short
John Slater
Molly Smith
Elske Smith
Leo Spencer
Shannon Spencer
Daniel Sundquist
Jennifer Supple
Marika Tatsutani
Mary Tebo
Marc Tremblay
Mark Twickler
Thomas Varrell
Henry Veilleux
Eric VonMagnus
Cameron Wake
Margeret Weeks

Tom Wessels
Bruce Westcott
Norman Willard
Steven Winnett
David Wolfe
Chirstian Zdanowicz
Julian Zelazny
Greg Zielinski

Forest Sector Workshop *March 30, 1999*

Allan Auclair
Veronica Berounsky
Jennifer Bofinger
Perry Bosshart
Charles Bridges
Robert Burke
Jim Burnett
Lynne Carter
Charles Cogbill
Stephen Hale
Nancy Hubbe
Paul Hubbe
Lloyd Irland
Leslie Kane
Barry Keim
Clara Kustra
John Lanier
Eugene Lecomte
Stuart Leiderman
David Marvin
Will McWilliams
Rakesh Minocha
Morten Moesswilde
Berrien Moore
Gregory Norris
Alan Page
Jan Pendlebury
Peter Pohl
Mary Reynolds
Keith Robinson
Barrett Rock
Michael Routhier
Dork Sahagian
Benjamin Sherman
Walter Shortle
Molly Smith
Mike Stevens
Daniel Sundquist
Bob Townsend
Hal Walker
Phil Wargo
Norman Willard
Steven Winnett
Brad Wyman

Water Sector Workshop *March 31, 1999*

Allan Auclair
Veronica Berounsky
Doug Bogen
Charles Bridges
Lynne Carter
Ted Diers
Lawrence Dingman
Stephen Hale
Richard Harlow
George Hurtt
Norbert Jawarski
Barry Keim
Tom Kelly
Clara Kustra
Stuart Leiderman
Gerald Livingston
Sharon Meeker
Morten Moesswilde
Pierce Rigrod
Keith Robinson
Barrett Rock
Dork Sahagian
Benjamin Sherman
Fred Short
Shannon Spencer
Mark Toussaint
Marc Tremblay
Hal Walker
Peter Wellenberger

Human Health Sector Workshop *April 7, 1999*

David Bartlett
Rita Chang
Carmelle Druchniak
Petya Entcheva
Paul Epstein
Stephen Hale
Denise Hart
George Hurtt
Barry Keim
Clara Kustra
Stuart Leiderman
Thomas Mather
Leslie Morrissey
Barrett Rock
Dork Sahagian
Benjamin Sherman
Allan Silber
Shannon Spencer
Juli Trtanj
Hal Walker

APPENDIX D

New England Regional Assessment Review Process

The review process for the New England Regional Assessment (NERA) has taken four separate forms: an internal Website review by Workshop participants; an internal review by members of the NERA Steering Committee; an external review by scientists; and an external review by stakeholders. The two external reviews were facilitated by the New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services (DES) Local Impact Assessment Project (LIAP). This LIAP effort, coordinated by the DES and funded by the U.S. EPA, brought together approximately 50 researchers and scientists (primarily from the Forestry and Water Resources Sectors), as well as over 60 stakeholders, to evaluate the NERA *Overview* Document. None of the LIAP evaluators had participated in the NERA process. In the case of the research scientists, the focus of the review was on assessing the accuracy and

validity of the science presented in the NERA *Overview* for the specific Sectors. In the case of the stakeholders, the focus of the review was on the impact of the material presented and on the usefulness of the public message delivered.

The table below characterizes the participants in the external review, which consisted of both scientists and stakeholders. Participants in the external reviews were sent draft copies of the NERA *Overview* prior to attending day-long evaluation workshops. Both written and oral evaluations were solicited. All written and oral reviews were considered and most were incorporated into the final version of the NERA *Overview* Document.

	Forestry	Water	Human Health	Economists	Biologists/ Wildlife	Climate Scientists	Recreation	Real Estate	Total
Scientists	17	10	4	5	10	4	3		53
Stakeholders	11	26	4	2	9		10	2	64
Total	28	36	8	7	19	4	13	2	117